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#### Teresa:

Pursuant to our earlier telephone conversation, attached is a duplicate copy of the Letter to correct Filing Receipt filed with the PTO on June 14, 1999 together with a copy of our postcard showing receipt by the PTO on June 17, 1999. I appreciate your help in getting this Filing Receipt corrected. If you have any questions, do not hesitate to contact me.

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Donald R. Holland Reg. No. 35,197

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### LETTER TO CORRECT FILING RECEIPT

The Filing Receipt regarding the above-referenced application is in error. The number of drawings as shown on the Filing Receipt is listed as zero (0). This is incorrect. The correct number of drawings should be twenty-six (26).

The first inventors name is incomplete. Eugene Johnson's full name should read as "Eugene M. Johnson Jr.".

The continuing data as listed in the Filing Receipt is incorrect. This application is a divisional of U.S. Application Serial Number 08/981,739 filed August 31, 1998 as the national stage

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It is believed that no fee is required for correcting the Filing Receipt, however, if a fee is required, the Commission is hereby authorized to charge Account No. 18-1829 for any such fee.

Respectfully submitted,

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